



# Capabilities Needs Analysis (CNA)



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# Purpose

To provide a basic overview on the purpose of the CNA process and how it impacts on the Doctrine Community



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# CNA Purpose

## **The CNA will assist the Army's future force development process by:**

- identifying Army requirements to support Joint required capabilities
- assessing how the programmed Doctrine, Organization, Training, Materiel, Leadership and Education, Personnel and Facilities (DOTMLPF) solutions support the Army requirements identified above
- identifying capability gaps -- *what is left that we can't do?*

## **The CNA will inform:**

- TRADOC CG's developmental priorities
- ARSTAF and TRADOC POM development
- TRADOC Developments Guidance
- TRADOC Science and Technology (S&T) Strategy



# Who Uses CNA ?



## **CG TRADOC**

- o Using CNA-identified critical capabilities and their associated solutions, provide a strategic assessment of the Army Investment Strategy to influence POM

## **TRADOC**

CNA products:

- o Identify strategic capability requirements and their associated solutions by DOTMLPF packages and focus programming efforts
- o Identify critical gaps, direct via Developments and Experimentation Guidance, further JCIDS efforts (including ICD, CDD, and associated analyses)
- o Inform where operational risk can be accepted
- o Inform Spiraling Developments work for the Current Force
- o Identify critical gaps to focus S&T on areas requiring innovation or new technology

## **ARSTAF**

CNA products:

- o Assist in identifying and ordering critical DOTMLPF solutions and gaps
- o Assist in selectively resourcing DOTMLPF solutions
- o Assist in identifying and ordering critical sustainment priorities and gaps
- o Assist in identifying capabilities where operational risk can be accepted



# Way Ahead CNA 09-13

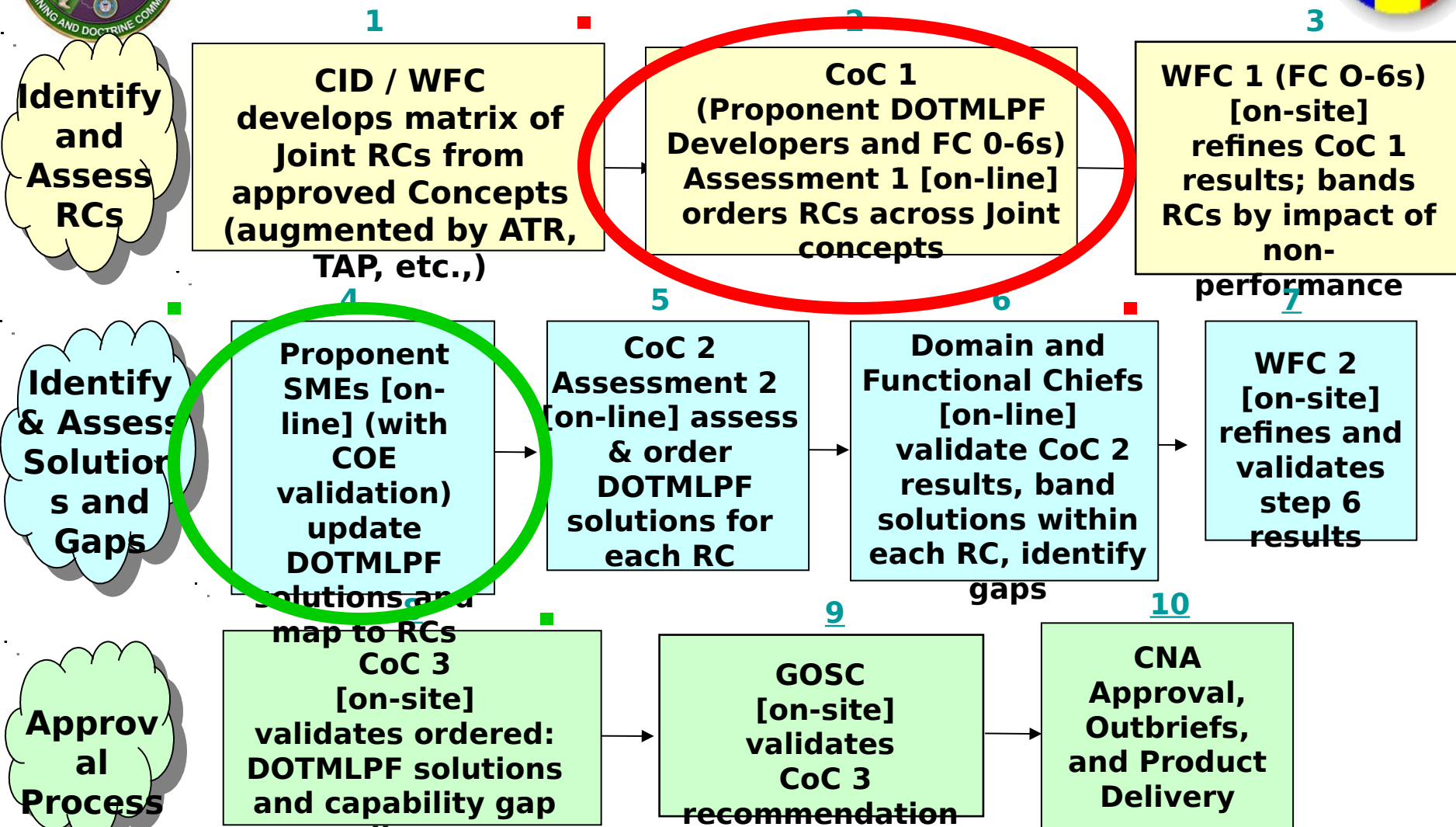


Current construct of the CNA will remain the same or have minor changes





# CNA Process



CNA = Capabilities Needs Analysis   FC = Futures Center   CID = Capabilities Integration Division  
RC = Required Capability   TAP = The Army Plan   ATR = Army Transformation Roadmap   CoC = Council of Colonels  
WFC = War Fighting Council   GOSC = General Officer Steering Committee   SME = Subject Matter Expert



# Methodology

- Army Input/Writing Joint Doctrine
- FM 3-0 and supporting Keystone doctrine
- FM's to support the modular Army
- FM's to support FCS development
- Proponent priorities





# Conclusion

- JADD will conduct upfront analysis for the CNA 09-13
- Construct for CNA 09-13 is still under development